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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 4, 2006, the period for response to which has been extended to April 4, 2007 by virtue of the enclosed petition and payment of the required fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 3 and 6 as indicated in the following claim listing: